

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department – Allegation of possession of disproportionate assets to the known sources of income against Sri R.Venkateswara Rao, the then In-charge Chief Engineer (World Bank, NABARD & SQCO-PMGSY), O/o the Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad, now Joint Secretary to Government, PR&RD Department, A.P.Secretariat, Hyderabad - Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 598

Dated:24 .04.2014.

Read:-

From the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad Letter Rc.
No.214/RCA-HRG/2010, dt.15.02.2014.

ORDER:

It was brought to the notice of the Government that a case was registered on 08.11.2010 by the Investigating Authority (Anti-Corruption Bureau) against Sri R.Venkateswara Rao, the then Incharge Chief Engineer (World Bank, NABARD & SQCO-PMGSY), O/o the Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad, now Joint Secretary to Government, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department, A.P.Secretariat, Hyderabad on the allegation of possession of assets disproportionate to the known sources of income.

2. The Investigating Authority (Anti-Corruption Bureau) in its final report in the reference read above has stated that from the documentary and oral evidence collected during the course of investigation, it is established that the Official is in possession of disproportionate assets to his known sources of income to an extent of 22% of his total income and recommended for departmental action for excess 2%, as 20% is permissible in terms of orders issued in Memo No.623/Spl.C/2008-2, General Administration (Spl.C) Department, dt. 15.10.2008.

3. Government have examined the matter and observed that the official has obtained prior permission for acquisition of assets and submitted Annual Property Returns regularly declaring the income received by him from agriculture. Therefore, Government keeping in view the conduct of the official for having obtained prior permission for acquisition of assets and submitted Annual Property Returns regularly, decided that it is a fit case to ignore the 2% (two percent) of excess disproportionate assets possessed by him..

4. Accordingly, Government, after careful examination of the report furnished by the Investigating Authority, have decided to drop further action and accordingly hereby drop further action against Sri R.Venkateswara Rao, the then Incharge. Chief Engineer (World Bank, NABARD & SQCO-PMGSY), O/o the Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad, now Joint Secretary to Government, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department, A.P.Secretariat, Hyderabad, on the allegation of possession of assets disproportionate to the known sources of income.

5. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. K.S JAWAHAR REDDY
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri R.Venkateswara Rao, the then I/c. Chief Engineer
(World Bank, NABARD & SQCO-PMGSY), O/o the Engineer-in-Chief (PR),
Hyderabad through the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (Estt.I) Department.

The Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (OP.I) Department (with a request to serve a copy on the official).

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, A.P.V.C., Hyderabad.

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// FORWARDED :BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER